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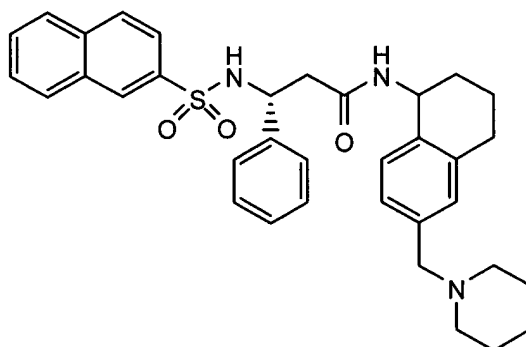
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RESPONSE TO THE RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT MAILED FEBRUARY 2, 2007

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Sir:

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement Mailed December 12, 2006, Applicants elect the subject matter of Group XI, drawn to compounds of formula II' wherein the C-ring is a carbocyclic moiety with traverse. In addition, Applicants elect the species of Example 8 depicted below.



Applicants traverse the rejection to the extent that the subject matter of Group XI overlaps with subject matter of Group I, Group XIII and Group XV. As an example, the elected species depicted above falls within the scope of all four groups, as do many other species claimed

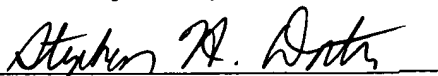
in claim 27. As such, the Examiner would not be seriously burdened by any prior art searches pertaining to this class of compounds.

In order to expedite prosecution of this case, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (312)-913-0001 for any questions he may have.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: March 2, 2007

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